TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1407 - SB 1740

March 16, 2009

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires all private schools and church-related schools to grant the child protection investigation team access to records pertaining to the child being investigated as a victim of abuse.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumptions:

- The Department of Children's Services will not incur a significant increase in expenditures to include records from private schools and church-related schools into a child abuse investigation.
- Any cost can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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